

### REMARKS

Applicant's Agent, Michael Gottselig, thanks Examiner Gembel for the telephone interview on October 21, 2009. In the interview, authorization to delete the phrase "or part of heart, kidney, lung, liver, pancreas, pancreatic islets, brain tissue, stomach, large intestine, small intestine, cornea, skin, trachea, muscle or bladder" was given. However, the deletion of the phrase "or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof" was not discussed. It is believed that the Examiner inadvertently deleted the phrase "or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof" from the claim. Thus, Claim 25 is amended to reintroduce the phrase "or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof".

Further, the authorization to delete the phrase "or part of heart, kidney, lung, liver, pancreas, pancreatic islets, brain tissue, stomach, large intestine, small intestine, cornea, skin, trachea, muscle or bladder" was given in view of the Examiner's statement that this recitation was redundant and that the claim scope would be unchanged if the phrase were to be deleted.

### **Request with regard to Information Disclosure Statement filed October 29, 2008**

We have noticed that the Examiner did not initial and date, or otherwise acknowledge the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 29, 2008. We also note that the USPTO's Patent Application Information Retrieval system does not provide an initialed and dated copy of the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 29, 2008.

Thus, the Examiner is respectfully requested to return an initialed and dated copy of the Information Disclosure Statement to the undersigned.

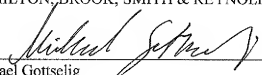
**CONCLUSION**

Authorization is hereby granted to charge any additional fees which may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380.

Respectfully submitted,

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